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In re application of:
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For: USE OF TAPERED DIELECTRIC
SLAB WAVEGUIDES FOR INPUT
AND OUTPUT COUPLING OF LIGHT
INTO PHOTONIC CRYSTAL
DEVICES

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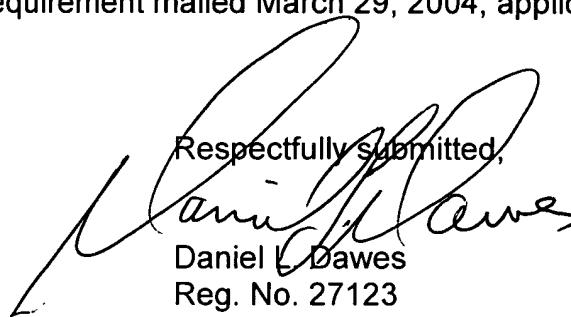
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Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 29, 2004, applicant
elects claims 11 – 21 with traverse.

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